

HOODED GUNMEN STRIKE AGAIN

A pair of hooded gunmen held up the 600 Bar, Route 413 near Route 13, Bristol Township, at 1 a.m. today and escaped with \$62.

This was the fourth armed robbery in Bristol Township in the past two months. Police said there is a similar pattern in the robberies.

Two of the previous robberies were committed by hooded gunmen armed with rifles or shotguns.

This morning, two men, both carrying rifles, walked into the bar. The owner and bartender, Joseph Random, 35, of 3449 Arbor St., Philadelphia, was alone in the place.

Watching TV

He said he was sitting at a table watching television.

"I thought it was a joke until one of them came over and hit me in the shoulder with the butt of the shotgun."

Random said each man wore a combination hood and bandanna made out of a torn pillow case.

"I guess I was too slow for them because one of them went behind the bar and emptied the cash register himself," Random said.

Takes \$62

"Then the guy who took the money told me to go into the kitchen. The other guy didn't say anything. He just crouched near the door. I could just



Joseph Random, bartender at the 600 Bar, displays an empty cash register drawer to Bristol Township police after today's armed holdup at the Route 413

tavern. The police officers are Sgt. Ben Chapin (left) and Patrolman John Harman. (Courier-Times Photo)

see his head and the rifle barrel over the bar." Random said the robbers took \$62, mostly in \$1 bills from the register.

"When the one man took me into the kitchen I thought he was going to hit me over the head. But all he said was 'stay here for about ten minutes and don't move,' the bar owner said.

"Before they left I heard them scurrying around the bar. I don't know what they were looking for.

"About ten seconds after they left I went to the phone and called the police," Random said.

Talk Familiar

He said he felt he had seen one of the gunmen before. The one who did the talking seemed familiar, Random said.

Sgt. Bentley Chapin and Patrolman John Harman arrived at the scene in a few minutes. They searched the area and found in the rear parking lot one of the combination hood-bandannas worn by the robbers.

Alarm Sent Out

Police Chief John R. Stewart reported this morning that the robbers drove away from the bar in a late model car and headed towards Route 13.

Police sent out an alarm to area police department. (Continued On Page 3 Col. 8)

Weather

Cloudy today or tonight with snow flurries this afternoon and tonight. Clearing tomorrow. High today and tomorrow in 30's. Low tonight 25 to 30.

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Good Evening!

Snow heading in from the South.

That's a switch. Usually the Midwest or the North are the villains. But watch it. Remember that spring of 1958 when a storm from the South put you back in the candle-light age for a week?

Speaking of the South, too bad about that National Airlines plane, enroute from New York to Miami, crashing in the Carolina swamps with 34 presumed dead.

Very hard to understand why, in this space age, we still have to have these big skyliner disasters. Somebody somewhere along the line makes a bad, bad mistake and it's time we start eliminating them.

Bristol Borough getting ready to start construction in March of its new \$600,000 water plant.

You rather have to take your hat off to Burgess Tony Nicoletti and Borough President Bill Veitch and his councilmen for some neat far-sighted vision. They've been making a lot of real improvements in this very old, very historic, very charming community.

And Governor Lawrence in his "State of the State" message to the new 1960 Legislature yesterday emphasized that no new taxes are needed.

If he makes that stick and if he follows through with his promise that he'll approve no spending legislation unless it's accompanied by specific measures to pay for the spending, we'll build him a monument.

You know, if state administrations of the past 20 years had pursued the kind of policy Lawrence at least gives lip service to, Pennsylvania would be the best financed and most efficiently operated state in America. But they just never have.

Friend of ours says his wife, a bird lover, has also learned to do bird imitations. She watches him like a hawk.

The boss tapped one of his employees on the shoulder and said, "I wouldn't wake you up, Fred, if it weren't important. You're fired!"

Don't resent growing old. Think of the many who are denied the privilege.

If you're driving, be careful.

Report Plane Blew Up

BOLIVIA, N. C. (UPI)—A National Airlines plane carrying 34 persons on a vacation flight from New York to Miami crashed with explosive force in a swampy area early today and all aboard were killed.

The North Carolina Highway Patrol said there were no survivors.

The passengers had planned a jet flight but last-minute technical difficulties forced them to transfer to the ill-fated DC-6B. The plane crashed in a light rain a few miles from where it was to cross the coastline on the over-water portion of its flight.

The wreckage, strewn over 12 acres of the jungle-like Green Swamp area, was broken into three main pieces. Several of the 200-odd residents of Bolivia reported hearing an explosion. The wreckage did not burn.

State Highway Patrolman A. H. Clark said some of the bodies were still strapped in their seats. Some of the victims, he said, had donned Mae West life jackets. A couple of the jackets were inflated.

The dead included 29 passengers, mostly from the New York metropolitan area, and five crew members.

Hears Muffled Explosion By mid-morning at least 15 bodies had been found. They were (Continued On Page 3 Col. 1)

Andrews Hits 'Press Agent'

Minority County Commissioner Adolph A. Andrews emphasized today that he had strenuously opposed appointment of a "county public relations director" by his colleagues and voted against it.

"The idea of such a position paying \$12,000 a year is utterly ridiculous and a shameful waste of taxpayers' money," Mr. Andrews said.

On their very first day in office, Commissioners Boyer and Bodley announced appointment of a Clarence Afflerback, Levittown, to the lucrative post created to "publicize" county government.

Mr. Andrews said today he has already taken steps to question the validity of such a job under the county code. "Whether it's legal or not, however, it's a direct slap at every taxpayer in Bucks County," the minority commissioner, serving his second term, stated.

Police 'Defect' Three



Falls Township police officer Frank D. Gibson, Jr., fingerprints three burglary suspects, (from left), Lawrence D. Nixon, 19, Rolen Law, 20, and William C. Lovette, 22, all of Bristol Township. Watching the operation

are Chief Franklin Kirby and officer Richard Chalifoux. The three men and a woman companion were apprehended yesterday by Falls Township police. (Courier-Times Staff Photo)

'Quite A Feet'

Ill-Placed Shoes Lead Police To Falls Burglary Suspects

A pair of ill-placed feet led sharp-eyed Falls Township police officers yesterday to the capture of a teenage mother of three children and three young men accused of burglarizing three Falls Township businesses in the past three months.

Patrolman Lyle Gass and his partner, John Lent, were working the "dog-watch" early yesterday morning. They arrived at the Old Route 13 Diner at about 2:25 a.m.

Poking their flashlight beams into the diner, they noticed that pin-ball machines, cigarette machines and a juke-box had been moved from their regular places.

As Gass and Lent made a careful check of the outside of the building, they noticed a piece of moulding out of place and a loose panel on a rear door.

Peeking Shoes Carefully, the men pushed aside the panel and saw a pair of large shoes peeking from behind a kitchen gas range.

Entering the kitchen, the policemen discovered that the shoes had in them William C. Lovette, 22, of 336 Magnolia Road, Terrace 2, Bristol.

While Lovette was being ques-

tioned, police officers Wallace McCamish and James McManamon arrived in another squad car. As they drove up to the diner, the officers saw a car riding slowly past the diner.

Stopping the car, the policemen questioned Mrs. Carrie Nani Mitchell, 181, of 1101 Court "H" Bristol Terrace, the driver, and her passenger, Lawrence D. Nixon, 19, of 549 Court "D", Terrace 2, Bristol.

The two teenagers admitted that they had been cruising in the car.

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'Political Football'

Keller Says Demos Holding Up Judges

The Bucks County Democratic organization is preventing the county from having two more judges, Republican State Sen. Marvin Keller, Newtown, said today.

Keller, who has been accused by Democratic Assemblyman James J. A. Gallagher of Levittown, of "playing politics" with the two appointments, said "It is the Democrats who are making this a political football."

I understand we will have the Bucks County Democrats tell the

governor their choice for the new appointment, Keller said. "I haven't the slightest idea when this will be."

Bill Becomes Law Gov. David L. Lawrence yesterday signed into law, a bill introduced by Keller and amended in the House of Representatives giving Bucks County a fourth judge.

The bill also provides for a Lehigh County judge with salaries of \$20,000 a year. The new judges (Continued On Page 3 Col. 6)

'Big 11' Agreement Is Basis

Steel Pacts Sought With Smaller Firms

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The United Steelworkers Union moved today to sew up contracts with smaller steel companies on the basis of its agreement with the "big 11" producers.

Government officials said at least five small companies have advised President Eisenhower's fact-finding board they would not accept the big steel settlement. It was not immediately known if the companies merely were taking a bargaining position or would stick by their guns.

But union President David J. McDonald said he didn't expect any difficulty in applying the steel settlement to the smaller steel firms and iron ore companies.

Open Negotiations Negotiations were to begin today here and in a number of other cities.

Other steel developments: —The union was expected to reveal today how much it believes the settlement is worth to the average steelworker. Steelworkers Counsel Arthur J. Goldberg planned to brief reporters on the terms.

—Eisenhower was scheduled to get official notification of settlement when he received the report of his fact - finding board today. Labor Secretary James B. Mitchell, who helped arrange the agreement, was to deliver the report to the White House.

Offer Lower Settlements The five small steel companies balking at the big steel agreement were identified as Moulthrop (Continued On Page 3 Col. 7)

Citizens Protest

Probe Is Asked On Riempff Firing

Raymond Hill of Andalusia, wired State Attorney General Anne X. Alpern last night requesting an investigation of the dismissal of former Bensalem Chief of Police William Riempff.

Hill is the leader of a petition movement to have Riempff reinstated as Chief.

He said Riempff's dismissal Monday night by the township board of supervisors was "improper" and "politically inspired" and urged an immediate investigation.

Numerous Requests

Riempff was charged by the board with failure to enforce gambling laws in the township, failing to maintain satisfactory morale in the police department, and failure to follow township regulations regarding discipline of prisoners.

In the telegram, Hill said that at least 1,500 township residents have already signed a petition asking for Riempff's reinstatement.

Hill said yesterday that he has received numerous phone calls and letters from residents asking that "something be done" about the board of supervisors.

"The board's amateurish handling of this affair is not only proving to the taxpayer that these officials are changing the law to suit their own methods, but is also proving how incompetent these officials really are," he said.

Hill, who lives at 1042 Richardson Ave., said that he is conducting an investigation of his own.

He said that he has an appointment with State Deputy Attorney General Victor Wright in Philadelphia today.

No Snow, Weatherman Changes Mind

A last-minute weather report indicates no snow today.

The change in this morning's snow warning was caused by a low pressure area on the Carolina coast moving out to sea, rather than up the eastern seaboard.

It will be mostly cloudy this afternoon and tonight, with high temperatures today in the mid-30's.

The low tonight will be between 25 and 30 degrees. Tomorrow's weather outlook is fair with temperatures ranging in the mid-30's. Meanwhile, a Yankee style snow storm marched through Dixie today, spreading winter misery from Texas to Virginia.

Schools and highways were closed in the storm area. Some communities were crippled when power lines snapped under the weight of ice and snow.

At least three persons were known dead in the storm's wake. Three other persons were missing in a private plane.

The fierce storm, second of the new year, roared out of New Mexico, leaving that battered state covered with up to five more inches of snow.

It swirled into Oklahoma, knifed into the Texas Panhandle and then hit hard at Arkansas. The storm roamed through parts of Mississippi, Alabama, West Virginia, Virginia and North Carolina. It was expected to push northward into parts of Illinois, Indiana and Ohio later today.

First Time Out

The local high school basketball teams got into action for the first time in 1960 last night. A couple of surprises were posted by Morrisville and Council Rock. For the full story, see Page 14.

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being taken to a tent set up at the scene.

Lester Edwards of Bolivia, a North Carolina forest ranger, one of the first men on the scene, said he was awakened about 2:40 a.m. e.s.t. by the sound of the plane's engines racing.

"Then I heard a muffled explosion," he said.

Edwards went back to bed, not sure that a plane had crashed. But he heard a radio newscast shortly after 6 a.m. that the plane was missing and then telephoned his report to the airlines Wilmington office.

A Negro man then came to his house and told him he had seen

the wreckage, Edwards said. They hastened to the area, about 1½ miles west of Bolivia and found the wreckage.

"The pilot was still in the cockpit and bodies were still in the plane and scattered all over the field," Edwards said.

"The cockpit was in the edge of a wooded area and the rest of the plane was in the field."

"Both of the wings were folded and one was loose. And there was luggage scattered all around."

Misses Radio Checkpoints

The plane took off from New York at 11:50 p.m. e.s.t. and was due in Miami at 4:36 a.m. It was reported missing after it missed two consecutive radio checkpoints—over the Atlantic east of Charleston, S.C., and east of Jacksonville, Fla.

When the plane last reported in from near Wilmington, 25 miles northeast of Bolivia, it gave no sign of trouble. The pilot reported that he was flying at 18,000 feet in smooth weather with enough fuel aboard to last until 7 a.m.

The Weather Bureau at Wilmington reported that it was raining lightly at the time with visibility at four miles. As the dark early morning hours drew on, however, the cold rain on the still wreckage became heavier.

Son Discovers Wreckage

The plane fell on a farm owned by Richard Randolph, a Negro, who said he heard the plane about the same time Edwards did and heard an explosion. Randolph said he saw a fire but Edwards said the wreckage was not burning when he reached it.

Randolph said he and his wife got up when they heard the explosion but went back to bed. He said his school-age son discovered the wreckage shortly after 6 a.m. Randolph's house is about 500 yards from the spot where the plane hit.

Crash Dead Identified

NEW YORK (UPI)—National Airlines today identified the crew and passengers of the DC6B that crashed near Bolivia, N.C. as:

Crew
1. Capt. Dale Southard, 351 N.E. 103rd St., Miami.
2. Co-pilot R. L. Hentzell, 9231 S.W. 165th St., Miami.

3. Flight Engineer R. R. Hallock, 16425 N.W. 27th Court, Miami.
4. Stewardess Valery Stewart, 40 Ranch Lane, Levittown, N.Y.
5. Stewardess Marilu Odell, 212 South Orange Ave., South Orange, N.J.

(Both stewardesses also maintained a residence at 733 Curtis Parkway, Miami.)

Passengers

1&2 Mr. and Mrs. E. Edwards, New York.

3. Mr. Robert R. Fried, 70 Riverside Dr., New York.

4. Mr. Julian K. Frank, Westport, Conn.

5&6. Mr. and Mrs. M. Finkelstein, 819 Sharpshack St., Philadelphia.

7&8. Mr. and Mrs. Victor H. Kay, 26 Bluebird Dr., Roslyn Heights, N.Y.

9 & 10. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Keller, 1308 Avenue N, Brooklyn, N.Y.

11 & 12. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kunin, Fairfield, Conn.

13 & 14. Dr. and Mrs. Alan Lawrence, 177 White Plains Rd., Tarrytown, N.Y.

15. Mrs. Pearl Merrill, 799 E. 17th St., Brooklyn, N.Y.

16. Adm. Edward O. McDonnell, USN (Ret.), 320 E. 10th St., New York City; Horseshoe Rd., Millenck, N.Y.; and Hobo Road, Fla.

17. Mrs. Charles Orenstein, 9 Pont St., Great Neck, N.Y.

18. Mr. Ephraim Pollo, no address.

19. Mr. Carlos Ramos, no address.

20. Mrs. Maria Rodriguez, no address.

21. Mr. J. Ryan, 18 Jefferson Ave., Rockville Centre, N.Y.

22 & 23. Mr. and Mrs. Martin Silver, Fairfield, Conn.

24. Miss M. Wainstock, no address.

25 & 26. Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Schine, Trumbull, Conn.

27. Mr. F. Sweeting, Port Washington, N.Y.

28 & 29. Mr. and Mrs. I. Rubinstein, Miami.

Serve Entire Township

Milton Berkes, board chairman, said that those who are appointed to posts in Falls Township are expected to serve the entire township. He said that the current president of the water authority, John Collins, was a Fallsington resident for many years and will be able to present the points of view of that section of the township. Collins now lives in Fairless Hills.

Howley abstained from voting on the water authority appointment and the motion was carried by Berkes and Arrowood.

Ex-Con Must Be Charged Or Released

NORRISTOWN, Pa. (UPI)—

Montgomery County authorities worked against time today in an effort to retain custody of Elmo Smith, 39, prime suspect in the sadistic slaying of 16-year-old Maryann Mitchell.

The paroled sex offender was being held in the county jail here on an open charge, which means police must formally charge him with a crime within 48 hours or release him.

Smith, paroled only last October after serving 10 years in prison, was picked up Monday. A blood-stained bumper jack, believed to be the murder weapon, was found a short time later in a stolen car abandoned a few blocks from Smith's home in Bridgeport.

Splattered With Blood

The car, its rear and front seats splattered with bloodstains, was found about 6 miles from the desolate gully where the body of the high school junior was discovered last Wednesday, some 40 hours after her disappearance. It couldn't be determined whether the girl had been raped because of the mutilated condition of the body.

Detectives said the bloodstains on the jack and the car seats were identified as type A, "the same type as the victim's." City laboratory technicians disclosed that three strands of auburn hair taken from the auto jack were "similar in all characteristics" to those of Maryann.

Police said there were several discrepancies in Smith's story concerning his movements on the night of the girl's disappearance but they said he volunteered to take a lie detector test.

Ill-Placed

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the area waiting for Lovette to come out of the diner.

For Questioning

The three suspects were taken to the Falls Township Police Headquarters for further questioning.

During the interrogation, police learned that Rolan Law, 20, of 1234 Barrett St., Bristol, had acted as a "look-out."

Law fled the scene, the suspects said, when he noticed the approaching police car. Law was apprehended later in the day at a store in the Levittown Shopping Center, where he was employed.

Based on information disclosed at the interrogation, Falls police got a warrant and searched the home of Mrs. Mitchell in Bristol.

Bottles Found

Hidden under some clothing in a bureau drawer in her bedroom, police found 13 bottles of assorted whiskeys and liquors.

The police said that the bottles of whiskey and liquor, valued at \$160, had been taken from the Blue Roof Inn, on Old Route 13, Jan. 3. Vending machines at the restaurant had been looted of \$333 on that date, said police.

Lovette and Law also admitted to police the theft of two cigarette vending machines, costing \$250 each, from the King Packer House on Bordentown Road.

The woman and three men were arraigned before Falls Township Justice of the Peace John Melvin late last night on charges of burglary and larceny, and were held without bail.

Bristol Township police will question the quartet today and then take them to the Bucks County prison in Doylestown to await trial.

Swastikas Painted On Philly Synagogue

PHILADELPHIA (UPI)—The building superintendent of a North Philadelphia synagogue today discovered three swastikas painted on the walls and bulletin board of the temple.

J. C. Walker said the swastikas were painted on two walls and a glass enclosed bulletin board at the entrance to Congregation Rodeph Shalom synagogue sometime during the night.

Razor blades were used to remove the light gray paint.

Police said it was the first such incident here.

Oil your transformers and check your couplings . . . the trial-runs and registration for Levittown's first annual Train Derby will be held Friday evening at 8 o'clock in the main auditorium of the Community Hall. The derby will be held Saturday morning, beginning at 10 a.m.

The race for model trains of "0" and "027" gauge will be between contestants in the same age division on identical track layouts, involving several curves and two 24-foot "straight" ways.

Appointment Heads For Court Battle

Upper Southampton's political problems flared anew this week with the filing of a petition in Doylestown protesting the November appointment of William D. Lynch to the Board of Supervisors.

The petition, filed in court Saturday by Albert Steele, president of the Upper Southampton Civic League, charges that the board meeting at which Lynch received the appointment was "illegal" because the board had not posted sufficient notice that the meeting would be held.

Lynch's appointment followed his defeat as a candidate for supervisor in the November election.

Named as codefendants in the petition were Lynch, Supervisor Donald DelManzo and Howard Binns, whose term as supervisor ended last week.

Attack Civic League

Immediately upon notification of the petition, the three lashed out at the civic league in a blistering attack which referred to them as "a handful of agitators" and a "small group of fanatics."

The three stated flatly "there is no question about the legality of the appointment of Lynch to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of John S. Park."

They said that every requirement of the law was carefully observed in making the appointment.

This latest development in the marathon duel between the Democratic-controlled civic league and the 1959 all-Republican Board of Supervisors appears to indicate that, except for a brief holiday respite, the hassle between both factions will continue in 1960.

Woman Takes Own Life

A 33-year-old Croydon woman committed suicide by carbon monoxide poisoning last night, Bucks County Coroner Dr. Wilmer Trinkle reported today.

The victim, Mrs. Marcella Roth, 705 Neshaminy Road, was found in the rear seat of her 1957 sedan about 75 feet off of Jones Lane in Bristol Township at 7:30 p.m.

The woman was discovered by Sgt. Harry Bauer and Patrolman Warren Renshaw as they made a routine patrol of the area. The officers investigated and found the engine running and a hose hooked to the exhaust and running into a rear window of the vehicle.

The officers pulled the woman from the vehicle and applied artificial respiration. It appeared, police said, that Mrs. Roth might still be alive.

At 7:45 p.m., the Bucks County Rescue ambulance arrived on the scene and rushed the woman to Lower Bucks County Hospital.

Attempts by hospital personnel to revive the woman failed and she was pronounced dead at 9:05 p.m.

Iron Age Predicts Steel Price Increase

NEW YORK (UPI)—Iron Age magazine predicted today that steel prices will be increased soon by anywhere from less than \$4 to \$5 a ton to absorb the cost of "the government-dictated settlement."

The price of the steel contract "is too rich for the blood of many steel companies," the trade publication said.

The metalworking weekly said it is unlikely that a price increase will exceed \$5 a ton. A more likely figure, it said, would be slightly less than \$4 a ton.

Should some of the medium or small steel companies mark up prices more than \$5 a ton competition from the big companies will bring them into line, Iron Age said.

Holy Name To Meet In Tullytown Chapter

The Holy Name Society will hold its regular meeting this evening at 7:30 p.m. in the Sacred Heart Chapel, Tullytown.

Walter E. Grabowski, secretary of the Holy Name Society, said today that all members are urged to attend.

Sponsored by the Levittown Public Recreation Association and the Levittown Lions Club, the contest is open to Levittown boys and girls between the ages of eight and 17. Winners in each age bracket in the single elimination type contest will move toward the finals.

Each Division
Three finalists will be named in each age division and three in each of the classes of regular and magni-traction trains.

"Entrants should bring their

Democratic Look In Tullytown



Newly installed members of Tullytown Borough Council, Michael Piroli, Carmen Barraza, and Joseph Napoli, make the governmental body all-Democrat. The members of the council are, (from left), Ernest John-

son, Joseph Napoli, Carmen Barraza, Albert Feehly, newly elected council president, Joseph Cutchineal, Anthony Biancosino, and Michael Piroli. (Courier-Times Staff Photo)

Provide Trophies

Judges, officials and trophies for the winners in each classification will be provided by the Levittown Lions Club. The Lionel Corporation will provide the equipment for the races, and the Wetherill Lumber Company the plywood sheets for the track lay-out.

Morris Electric is providing the electrical equipment for the train derby.

Bob Whitman, LPRA program director, said that he hopes for a large turnout at the event.

"The entire family can see some very exciting and close competition in the races," Whitman said.

Contest rules and regulations will be available Friday evening at the registration period and Saturday morning, the LPRA director said.

Births

Lower Bucks County Hospital

Jan. 5
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harrington, 623 Spruce St., Bristol, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lachewitz, 721 Old Orchard Road, Bristol, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Mangapelli, 10 Morning Glory Lane, Levittown, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. John Reidel, 819 Pond St., Bristol, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Smith, 15 Michahill Road, Levittown, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Snyder, 816 Fourth Ave., Bristol, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. George Strickler, 15 Vicar Lane, Levittown, girl.

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ments, Lower Southampton police picked up three men in one car. Random was taken to Lower Southampton police headquarters, but was unable to identify the men.

On Nov. 7 two pillow case-hooded rifle-armed gunmen robbed the proprietor of McDonald's hamburger stand of \$349 just as the owner was about to make a night deposit in a bank in the Midway Shopping Center, Levittown.

These gunmen were armed with either a rifle or a shotgun.

Had Rifles
Random at first said the men who held him up had either a shotgun or rifle, but this morning he said he was sure they had rifles.

On Nov. 11 the Route 13-Premium Service Station was robbed by two men. One of these two had a pistol, and did all the talking. The second robber stayed in the car.

Then on Dec. 22 a single, rifle-armed, red-hooded bandit robbed the operator of Chicken Delight, which is located on Woodbourne Road, near Five Points, Levittown.

Chief Stewart said State Police are working with his men on the cases.

Steel Pacts

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Steel Products Co., Coons Pacific Co., Pittsburgh Pacific Co., Boland and Cornelius, and Skubic Brothers Co.

All have offered settlements well below the 2½ year package agreed to by the big 11. The five companies represent only a tiny fraction of the nation's steel production.

Stuart Rothman, general counsel of the National Labor Relations Board (NLRB), said if there is no settlement with the smaller firms, the NLRB would have to conduct a secret ballot among their employees on the companies' final offers.

Since Rub'n's death in September, the county has had only two judges.

Appointed In October
The governor appointed Fullam in October. Senate confirmation had not come through when the 1959 session ended yesterday and the reappointment was necessary.

Keller said that the Fullam confirmation was delayed by the Senate Executive Nominations Committee. He said he had supported the delay.

"I suggested that both new judges be confirmed at one time," Keller said, "so that we would know who both would be."

The Senator said the committee's delay also included "some consideration that Fullam ran for Congress twice and was defeated, which would indicate that the people of Bucks County were not enthused in having him in public office. I don't know to what extent that influenced the committee," Keller said.

Fourth Judge
The senator said he has "on several occasions," asked the county Democrats to suggest to the governor their choice as fourth judge. Keller said the Bucks County Bar Association, after Fullam's appointment voted to endorse Lawrence A. Monroe, of Bristol and Donald B. Smith, of Perkasie, both Republicans for fourth judge.

On previous occasions, the county lawyers had recommended the two along with Fullam.

Keller said he wrote to the governor pointing out the bar association recommendation and expressing his personal choice between Monroe and Smith. The senator would not say which of the two he prefers when interviewed this morning.

Last week, Fullam broke his

left leg in a fall at his home in Wrightstown. This week, the attorney came down with an eye infection. Fullam is still making his way to work each day with the aid of a leg cast, crutches and dark glasses.

The eye infection should clear up in a few days and the leg cast will be part of Fullam's standard operating equipment for about six weeks but Fullam is still in the dark as to when he will finally become a judge.

Going In Circles

By Jim Goodman

A disorderly conduct arrest over the weekend in Bristol Borough stirred up more than a little excitement in the borough police headquarters.

The excitement started when police found two train tickets to Roxborough on the arrested person. Roxborough was one of the localities where police believe Maryann Mitchell was murdered.

Mike Manto and Hubert Downs were the Bristol officers on the case. They acted fast and called Police Chief Vincent Faragalli and he immediately notified Philadelphia police.

City police promptly dispatched two detectives to the borough to question the disorderly person. But the investigation disclosed that the arrested person was a walk-away from Lyons Veterans Hospital, Somerville, N. J.

The investigation also revealed that the arrested man was in the hospital on the day the murder happened. He was returned to hospital authorities and everything returned to normal in the borough.

Waiting for the State Legislature to confirm his appointment as a Bucks County Judge is not the only problem these days for John Fullam, Bristol attorney.

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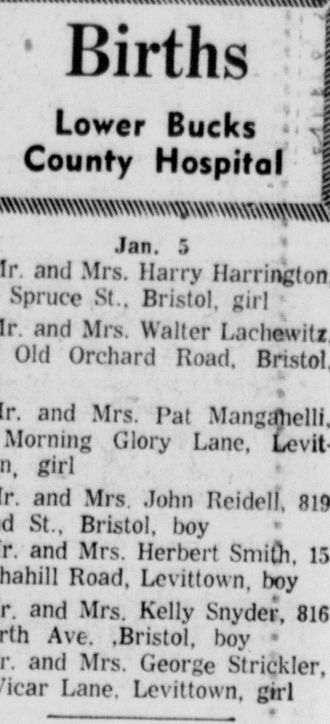
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Going In Circles

By Jim Goodman

A disorderly conduct arrest over the weekend in Bristol Borough stirred up more than a little excitement in the borough police headquarters.

The excitement started when police found two train tickets to Roxborough on the arrested person. Roxborough was one of the localities where police believe Maryann Mitchell was murdered.

Mike Manto and Hubert Downs were the Bristol officers on the case. They acted fast and called Police Chief Vincent Faragalli and he immediately notified Philadelphia police.

City police promptly dispatched two detectives to the borough to question the disorderly person. But the investigation disclosed that the arrested person was a walk-away from Lyons Veterans Hospital, Somerville, N. J.

The investigation also revealed that the arrested man was in the hospital on the day the murder happened. He was returned to hospital authorities and everything returned to normal in the borough.

Waiting for the State Legislature to confirm his appointment as a Bucks County Judge is not the only problem these days for John Fullam, Bristol attorney.

Last week, Fullam broke his

left leg in a fall at his home in Wrightstown. This week, the attorney came down with an eye infection. Fullam is still making his way to work each day with the aid of a leg cast, crutches and dark glasses.

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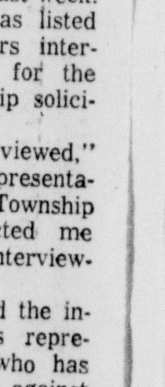
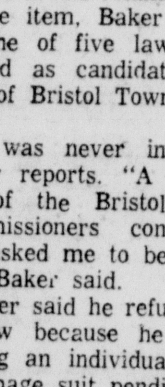
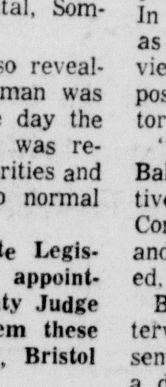
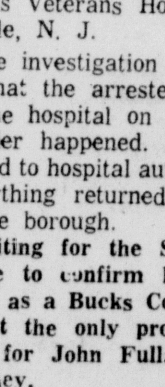
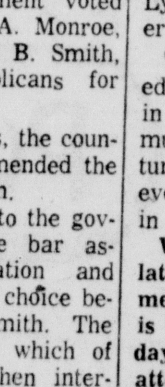
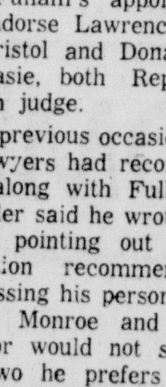
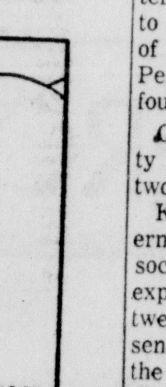
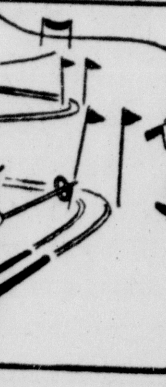
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Councilman Asks Chief Attend Meeting

Fourth Ward Leader Cites Boro Rumors

Morrisville Borough Councilman Michael Demech, fourth ward stated today that he would like to see the borough police chief present at the next meeting of council.

Demech said he is asking that the chief, John S. Davis appear at the next meeting of council in order to quell rumors that Davis is not doing his job properly.

"I'm not bringing charges against the police chief, I only want to ask a few questions brought to me by residents," the councilman said.

Demech said persons in the fourth ward had approached him and asked if the rumors that Chief Davis is not doing a proper job, are true.

"How can I answer questions I don't know the answers to myself," said Demech.

He added that the persons who questioned him said they had approached other councilmen and nothing was done about looking into the rumors.

Demech said that recently he asked at a council meeting about \$15,000 lost in tax collections, when a mixup developed in the tax rolls. The money was lost when persons who had moved or died, were left on the tax lists.

"The only answer I received was that the error was made by the tax assessors. I know the second ward tax collector was cleared but when I asked who were the other three, I didn't get an answer."

Demech stated that he didn't want the other councilmen or residents of the borough to think that he is approaching any matters, "with a chip on my shoulder."

"It's just that I was elected to represent the people and I'll do the best I can. The people can expect me to watch spending in

the borough like a hawk," he added.

"There's been lots of spending in the past, but not much improvement in the fourth ward to show for it."

Child Welfare Talks Set By Yardley Unit

A panel discussion on "Child Welfare Conditions And Needs In Bucks County" sponsored by the Social Order Committee of the Yardley Friends Meeting is slated for Sunday, at 6 p.m. at the Yardley Friends Meeting House.

Mrs. David Clarke will serve as moderator, and panelists include Domenik Colangelo, psychologist at the New Jersey Child Guidance Clinic, and a board member of the Valley Day School in Bucks County, who will speak on the emotionally disturbed child.

Mrs. June Hiltner, of Lower Makefield Township, and a member of the Council of Social Agencies of Bucks County who will speak from the layman's point of view on the subject; and Mrs. Herbert Mandel, a professional case worker who will present the professional worker's standpoint. A question and answer period will follow.

A covered dish supper will precede the program. The public is invited.

In charge of program arrangements are Mrs. Thomas Cooke, Mrs. Otto Plettner, Mrs. Clarke, J. Augustus Cadwallader and Jerome Levy.

FIRE DESTROYS BOATYARD LINDENHURST, N.Y. (UPI)

Fire early today destroyed a building and several pleasure cruisers at a boatyard here, causing damage unofficially estimated at \$100,000. It took two hours to extinguish the blaze, which was of unknown origin.

Students And Art



Six grade students at the Manor Park Elementary School, Morrisville recently began a mosaic project under the supervision of their teacher, James

Yoxtheimer. From left to right are: Cathy Rustay, Bonnie Antrobus, Ann Johnson and Donna Lehman. (Courier-Times Photo)

Morrisville Yardley Makefield

Auto Turns Over In Morrisville

A Morrisville man escaped uninjured when his car turned over after he swerved to avoid a collision with another vehicle on West Bridge St. at 7:15 last night.

Peter Wozniak, 200 Cymer Ave., Morrisville, was driving east on West Bridge St. when he swerved sharply toward the curb to avoid a car being driven by Shirley Ann Reed, 632 Bridge St., Morrisville, police said.

Miss Reed, who was turning into Foote's Market parking lot, said the sudden contact with the curb flipped Wozniak's car onto its roof.

Wozniak climbed from his car uninjured, police said. Fire trucks were called to wet the car down to prevent the vehicle from bursting into flames. Miss Reed's car was untouched.

Yardley Movie Club Sets Week-End Show

The Yardley Saturday Movie Club, sponsored by the Yardley VFW will show a color film entitled, "The King of the Khyber Rifles" at 1 p. m. Saturday.

The film will be shown in the Yardley Community Center, South Main St., announced a spokesman for the club.

Mrs. Helen Lee Named Squad Drive Chairman

Mrs. Helen Lee was named chairman of the 1960 fund drive to be held by the Yardley-Makefield Consolidated Ambulance Rescue Squad at a meeting in the Municipal Building, Edgewood Rd., Lower Makefield, Monday night.

This year's drive will seek a minimum of \$10,000 with which the group plans to build a rescue squad headquarters. Mrs. Lee said that a land donation on which the building will be placed is being sought.

The group also named Donald Elfin chairman of the nominating

committee. Serving with Elfin as members of the committee were Clifford Gordon and Kenneth Leidy.

Members of the fund drive committee, which will meet sometime next week to map details of the campaign, include Lenn Sheppard, Mrs. Millie Rice, Mrs. Betty Moser, Mrs. Barbara Carter, Clifford Gordon, Donald Miller, Carlton Leedom and John Hibbs, president of the group. The members of the campaign committee will act as captains in the drive and will seek to recruit additional volunteers in their areas.

Civic Club To Hear Talk On Decorations

Mrs. Carl Watson, a clothing firm representative will give a talk on table arrangements before the Yardley Civic Club at 1 p.m. tomorrow. The meeting of the civic club will take place at the Pine Room of the Yardley Community Center, South Main St.

The civic group will also discuss plans for a fund raising campaign to aid the Yardley public library which is the club's 1960 project this year.

A financial report will also be heard on the dance held by the group recently at the Trenton Country Club.

Hostesses for the evening include:

Mrs. Charles E. Metz, Jr., chairman; Mrs. Thomas B. Everist, Mrs. Thomas J. Fadden, Mrs. Leo P. Falcey, Mrs. A. J. Gerlic, Mrs. John B. Force and Mrs. Edward Garlits.

Also: Mrs. Julian Panek, Mrs. Willard C. Parker, Mrs. Spencer Parks, Mrs. Edward Rector and

Mrs. William P. Rogers. The ladies of the civic group plan a "Men's Night" on Feb. 4. Guest speaker for the evening will be Ralph B. Yardley, borough attorney. His topic will be "What Is Life's Biggest Legal Event?"

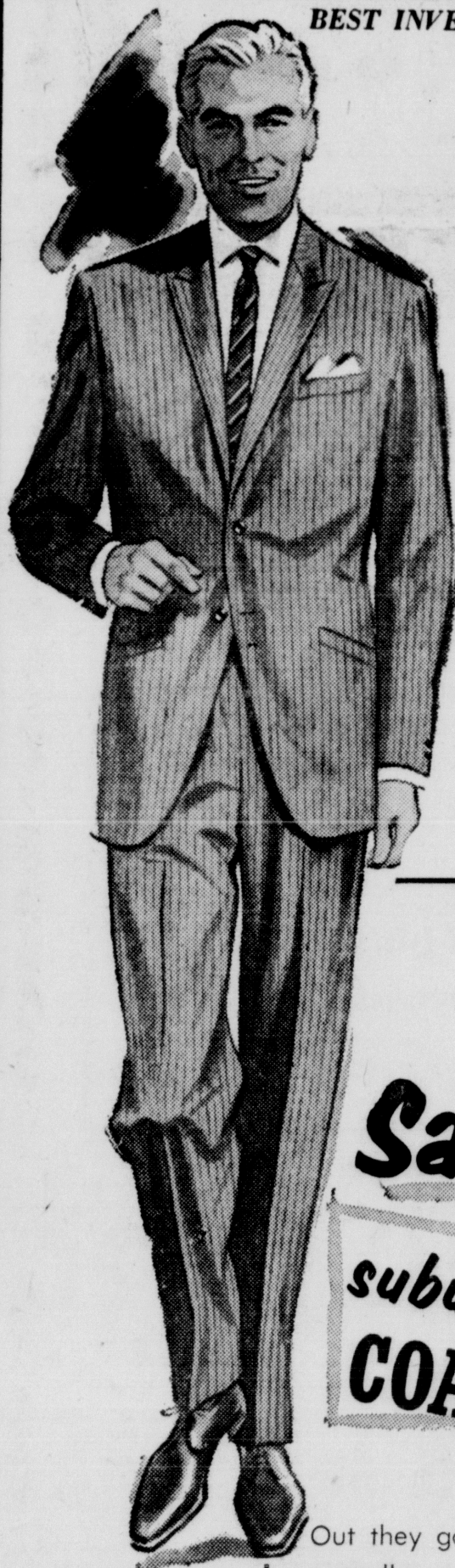
Collegiate 'Who's Who' Lists Yardley Student

Mary Manley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Manley of West Afton Ave., Yardley was recently named to the 1959-60 edition of "Who's Who In American Colleges."

Miss Manley is a senior at Marywood College in Scranton, Pa. A graduate of Pennsylvania High School she is a member of the college student council, captain of the college cheerleaders, and participates in varsity hockey and the annual water ballet show.

She is a special education major and will graduate in May with a bachelor of Arts Degree.

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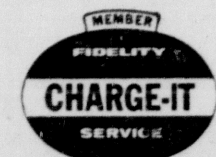
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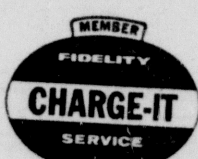


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